

Federal Communications Commission

§ 1.916

Pennsylvania. Address the applications to: Federal Communications Commission, 1270 Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania 17325-7245. Applications requiring fees as set forth at part 1, subpart G of of this chapter must be filed in accordance with §0.401(b) of the rules.

(Sec. 308, 48 Stat. 1084, as amended; 47 U.S.C. 308; secs. 4, 303, 307, 48 Stat., as amended, 1066, 1082, 1083; 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 307)

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§ 1.913 Who may sign applications.

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, applications, amendments thereto, and related statements of fact required by the Commission must be signed by the applicant, if the applicant is an individual; by one of the partners, if the applicant is a partnership; by an officer, director, or duly authorized employee, if the applicant is a corporation; or by a member who is an officer, if the applicant is an unincorporated association. Applications, amendments, and related statements of fact filed on behalf of eligible government entities such as states and territories of the United States, their political subdivisions, the District of Columbia, and units of local government, including unincorporated municipalities, must be signed by a duly elected or appointed official who is authorized to do so under the laws of the applicable jurisdiction.

(b) Applications, amendments thereto, and related statements of fact required by the Commission may be signed by the applicant's attorney in case of the applicant's physical disability or absence from the United States, or by applicant's designated vessel master when a temporary permit is requested for a vessel. The attorney shall, when applicable, separately set forth the reason why the application is not signed by the applicant. In addition, if any matter is stated on the basis of the attorney's or master's belief only (rather than knowledge), the attorney or master shall separately set forth the reasons for believing that such statements are true.

(c) Only the original of applications, amendments, and related statements of fact need be signed.

(d) Applications, amendments, and related statements of fact need not be signed under oath. Willful false statements made therein, however, are punishable by fine and imprisonment, U.S. Code, Title 18, section 1001, and by appropriate administrative sanctions, including revocation of station license pursuant to section 312(a)(1) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

(e) "Signed," as used in this section, means an original hand-written signature, except that by public notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER the Private Radio Bureau may allow signature by any symbol executed or adopted by the applicant with the intent that such symbol be a signature, including symbols formed by computer-generated electronic impulses.

(Sec. 308, 48 Stat. 1084, as amended; 47 U.S.C. 308)

[28 FR 12450, Nov. 22, 1963, as amended at 43 FR 27991, June 28, 1978; 49 FR 30944, Aug. 2, 1984; 58 FR 21406, Apr. 21, 1993]

§ 1.914 Full disclosures.

Each application shall contain full and complete disclosures with regard to the real party or parties in interest and as to all matters and things required to be disclosed by the application forms.

(Sec. 308, 48 Stat. 1084, as amended; 47 U.S.C. 308)

§ 1.916 Repetitious applications.

Where the Commission has, for any reason, denied an application for a new station or for any modification of services or facilities, dismissed such application with prejudice, or revoked the license for a radio station in the Private Radio Services, the Commission will not consider a like or new application involving service of the same kind to substantially the same area by substantially the same applicant, its successor or assignee, or on behalf of or for the benefit of the original parties in interest, until after the lapse of 12 months from the effective date of the Commission's order. The Commission

may, for good cause shown, waive the requirements of this section.

[28 FR 12454, Nov. 22, 1963, as amended at 44 FR 39181, July 5, 1979]

§ 1.918 Amendment of applications.

(a) Any amendment to an application shall be signed and submitted in the same manner and with the same number of copies as was the original application.

(b) Any application may be amended as a matter of right prior to the grant of that application. However, an application which is substantially amended, as defined by § 1.962(c), will be considered a newly filed application as of the date of the filing of the amendment.

(c) An application to amend an application after it has been designated for hearing will be considered only upon written petition addressed to the hearing examiner and served upon the parties of record, and will be granted only for good cause shown. A petition which requests a substantial change or to change the applicant's position, or the issues, in a hearing, must be accompanied by a signed statement of a person with knowledge of the facts as to whether or not consideration has been promised to or received by the petitioner, directly or indirectly, in connection with the filing of such petition for amendment. If consideration has been promised, or received, the statement shall set forth in full detail all the relevant facts with sufficient itemization of the consideration to enable the examiner to determine to what extent, if any, that the consideration represents only the reasonable costs of prosecuting the petitioner's application.

(d) A request to amend an application after it has been designated for random selection pursuant to § 1.972 will be considered only upon written petition addressed to the Chief, Private Radio Bureau and will be granted only for good cause shown. A petition which requests a substantial change in the application or which affects the lottery probabilities of other applicants must be accompanied by a signed statement of a person with knowledge of the relevant facts and must specify with particularity why such change is necessary and whether or not consider-

ation has been promised to or received by the petitioner, directly or indirectly, in connection with the filing of such petition for amendment. If consideration has been promised or received, the statement shall set forth all the relevant facts with sufficient detail to enable the Chief, Private Radio Bureau to determine whether and to what extent, if any, the consideration represents only the reasonable costs of prosecuting the petitioner's application.

(e) The Commission (or the presiding officer, if the application has been designated for hearing) may, upon its own motion or upon motion of any party to a proceeding, order the applicant to amend the application so as to make the same more definite and certain, and may require an applicant to submit such documents and written statements of fact as in its judgment may be necessary.

(Sec. 308, 48 Stat. 1084, as amended; 47 U.S.C. 308)

[28 FR 12454, Nov. 22, 1963, as amended at 37 FR 13984, July 15, 1972; 48 FR 27201, June 13, 1983; 49 FR 30944, Aug. 2, 1984]

APPLICATION FORMS AND PARTICULAR FILING REQUIREMENTS

§ 1.921 Procedure for obtaining a radio station authorization and for commencement of operation.

(a) Persons desiring to install and operate radio transmitting equipment should first submit an application for a radio station authorization in accordance with the rules for the particular service. A list of all application forms used by Private Radio Services Bureau is contained in § 1.922. Each form contains appropriate instructions concerning the number of required copies, where it may be filed, and the services in which it is intended to be used.

(b) Each application shall include all information called for by the particular form on which the application is required to be filed unless the information called for is inapplicable, in which case that fact shall be indicated.

(c) In some cases equipment and service tests are required before an authorized station may be placed in regular operation. Reference should be made to